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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Jean F. Welter et al.  
Serial No. : 10/578,212  
Filing Date : May 4, 2006  
For : APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR  
TISSUE ENGINEERING  
Group Art Unit : 1657  
Examiner : VERA AFREMOVA  
Attorney Docket No. : CWR-6622PCT/US

Mail Stop Amendment  
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**ELECTION WITH TRAVERSE/AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Requirement for Election mailed on April 8, 2008, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which  
begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.